Table 12 A. Neighborhood Conditions by Social Characteristics: Households with No Trash or Litter in Area, No Street Repair Problems, No Abandoned Buildings, and No Traffic Noise Problems: 1998 (Numbers in thousands)

| Characteristics           |            |                | No street | No        | No traffic |
|---------------------------|------------|----------------|-----------|-----------|------------|
|                           |            | No trash or    | repair    | abandoned | noise      |
|                           | Total      | litter in area | problems  | buildings | problems   |
|                           | Households | Percent        | Percent   | Percent   | Percent    |
| All households            |            |                |           |           |            |
| Total                     | 102,652    | 92.0           | 83.6      | 91.8      | 78.6       |
| Age of householder        |            |                |           |           |            |
| 15 to 29                  | 12,686     | 90.7           | 82.4      | 89.7      | 74.9       |
| 30 to 44                  | 34,628     | 91.3           | 82.7      | 91.1      | 77.6       |
| 45 to 64                  | 33,549     | 92.3           | 83.7      | 92.1      | 79.2       |
| 65 or older               | 21,788     | 93.8           | 85.8      | 93.6      | 81.5       |
| Sex of householder        | Í          |                |           |           |            |
| Male                      | 56,448     | 92.7           | 84.0      | 92.9      | 79.8       |
| Female                    | 46,204     | 91.2           | 83.2      | 90.5      | 77.2       |
| Race of householder       |            |                |           |           |            |
| White                     | 86,272     | 92.9           | 84.5      | 93.1      | 79.3       |
| Black                     | 12,474     | 85.5           | 77.8      | 83.2      | 73.7       |
| Other                     | 3,906      | 93.3           | 83.4      | 90.5      | 79.2       |
| Ethnicity of householder  |            |                |           |           |            |
| Hispanic                  | 8,794      | 91.1           | 81.5      | 86.3      | 74.3       |
| White non-Hispanic        | 78,219     | 93.1           | 84.8      | 93.8      | 79.8       |
| Household structure       |            |                |           |           |            |
| Non-family alone          | 28,005     | 92.4           | 84.2      | 91.7      | 77.4       |
| Non-family with others    | 3,647      | 90.9           | 81.9      | 89.8      | 73.9       |
| Married, no children      | 27,345     | 92.9           | 84.6      | 93.5      | 81.3       |
| Married with children     | 26,955     | 92.7           | 84.0      | 93.1      | 80.1       |
| Unmarried, no children    | 5,804      | 91.7           | 83.4      | 91.2      | 77.0       |
| Unmarried with children   | 10,896     | 87.9           | 79.3      | 85.6      | 73.8       |
| Householder disability    |            |                |           |           |            |
| Disabled                  | 9,720      | 88.0           | 78.7      | 86.5      | 70.8       |
| Not disabled              | 92,932     | 92.5           | 84.1      | 92.4      | 79.4       |
| Health insurance coverage |            |                |           |           |            |
| Not insured               | 20,451     | 89.4           | 80.0      | 87.5      | 74.4       |
| Insured                   | 82,201     | 92.7           | 84.5      | 92.9      | 79.7       |
| Housing tenure            |            |                |           |           |            |
| Home owner                | 68,632     | 92.7           | 84.3      | 93.8      | 81.7       |
| Renter                    | 34,020     | 90.8           | 82.3      | 87.9      | 72.3       |

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